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SUBJECT: PANAMA: SOMALI PIRACY UNSCR DEMARCHE DELIVERED

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¶1. (C) POLCOUNS delivered reftel demarche to Panamanian MFA DG for External Political Affairs Javier Bonagas on May 6. As a co-sponsor of the draft UNSCR concerning Somali piracy, Panama remains supportive of this initiative and appreciative of U.S. efforts to engage UNSC capitals. Panama can be expect to engage fellow UNSC member states primarily in New York, not in capitals. Post will report any substantive reactions.
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